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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

CLERKS AND OTHERS EMPLOYED IN THE STATE
DEPARTMENT.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF STATE,

TRANSMITTING

*A statement of the clerks and others employed in his department;
and also the information called for by a resolution of the House
of Representatives of the 13th of January, 1846.*

JANUARY 12, 1848.

Read, and laid upon the table.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, January 5, 1848.

The Secretary of State, in obedience to the act to regulate and fix the compensation of clerks in the different offices, approved on the 20th of April, 1818; and to the 11th section of "An act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have usually been included in the general appropriation bills without authority of law; and to fix and provide for certain incidental expenses of the departments and offices, and for other purposes," approved on the 26th of August, 1842, respectfully reports the accompanying statements, (A, B, C, and D,) containing, in addition to the information required by those acts, that called for by a resolution of the House of Representatives of the 13th of January, 1846.

The services of the clerks permanently employed under existing laws, could not be dispensed with without injury to the public interest.

JAMES BUCHANAN.

Hon. ROBERT C. WINTHROP,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A.

List of clerks employed in the Department of State during the year 1847, as authorized by the acts of April 23, 1830, and May 9, 1836.

Names of clerks.	Occupation.	Time employed.	State or Territory of residence when appointed.	Amount paid.
Nicholas P. Trist.....	Chief clerk.....	3 months 14 days	\$576 92
William S. Derrick.....	Chief clerk ad. interim, and clerk	The year.....	Pennsylvania.....	1,884 62
Robert Greenhow.....	Translator and librarian	Do	New York	1,600 00
A. H. Derrick.....	Clerk	Do	Pennsylvania.....	1,398 07
William Hunter, jr.....	Do	Do	Rhode Island.....	1,500 00
Edward Stubbs.....	Disbursing agent, &c.....	Do	New York	1,450 00
Francis Markoe, jr.....	Clerk	Do	Pennsylvania.....	1,400 00
Robert S. Chew	Do	Do	Virginia	1,400 00
George Hill	Do	Do	Connecticut	1,400 00
Samuel L. Gouverneur.....	Do	Do	New York	1,400 00
Lund Washington, jr.....	Do	Do	District of Columbia	1,400 00
Edwin W. Hutter.....	Do	Do	Pennsylvania.....	1,400 00
William C. Reddall.....	Do	Do	District of Columbia	1,000 00
William C. Zantzinger.....	Do	Do	Do do	871 16

B.

Messenger and assistant messenger, employed under the act of May 26, 1824.

Name.	Occupation.	Time employed.	State or Territory of residence when appointed.	Amount paid.
George Bartle.....	Messenger	The year.....	District of Columbia	\$700 00
Samuel S. Moe.....	Assistant messenger.....	Do	Do do	350 00

List of clerks and other persons, laborers, &c., employed in the Department of State during the year 1847.

Names.	Occupation.	Time employed.	Residence when appointed.	Amount paid.
William P. Faherty	Packer and distributor of laws and documents, proof reader, &c.....	The year.....	District of Columbia	\$1,000 00
Anthony Best.....	Assisting packer, laborer, &c.....	Do	New York	480 00
Andrew R. Locke.....	Do do	Do	District of Columbia	390 00
Richard Harrison	Laborer.....	Do	Do do	360 00
David Carroll.....	Do	Do	Do do	360 00
Samuel Sohl*.....	Preparing indexes to MSS. papers of the Confederation and of Washington.....	260 days	Do do	1,040 00
John E. Norris	Assisting in publishing laws and making indexes to papers of Confederation and of Washington.....	309 days	Do do	1,236 00

* Mr. Sohl was paid in 1847 for 97 days' services in 1846, on the same object, not included in the statement for the latter year.

D.

List of clerks and other persons employed in the Patent Office during the year 1847, with the amount of compensation paid to each.

Names.	Office.	Residence when appointed.	Time employed.	Annual salary.	Amount paid.
Edmund Burke	Commissioner	New Hampshire.....	January 1 to December 31.....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Henry H. Sylvester	Chief clerk.....	District of Columbia..	Do do	1,700 00	1,700 00
Charles G. Page	Examiner.....	Virginia	Do do	1,500 00	1,500 00
Wm. P. N. Fitzgerald ...	Do	Connecticut.....	Do do	1,500 00	1,500 00
Thomas G. Clenton.....	Assistant examiner.....	District of Columbia..	Do do	1,250 00	1,250 00
Leonard D. Gale	Do	New York	Do do	1,250 00	1,250 00
Hazard Knowles.....	Machinist.....	Connecticut	Do do	1,250 00	1,250 00
Arthur L. McIntire	Draughtsman	District of Columbia..	Do do	1,200 00	1,200 00
S. T. Shugert	Clerk.....	Pennsylvania.....	Do do	1,200 00	1,200 00
J. J. Roane	Do	Virginia.....	Do do	1,000 00	1,000 00
Lewis T. Fales	Do	Maine	Do do	800 00	800 00
Amos B. Little.....	Messenger.....	New Hampshire.....	Do do	700 00	700 00
August. A. Von Schmidt ..	Assistant draughtsman— copying, and restoring drawing; estimated....	District of Columbia ..	Do do	1,080 57
Thomas Johns.....	Temporary clerk	Maryland	Do do	10 cents per 100 words	1,212 31
E. G. Smith.....	Do	New York	Do do	do	1,617 40
E. McDonnell.....	Do	District of Columbia..	Do do	do	1,143 93
A. B. Stoughton.....	Do	Pennsylvania	Do do	do	1,116 13
A. B. Little.....	Do	New Hampshire.....	Temporarily on digest patents— indexing, and report.....	do	604 81
Jesse E. Dow	Do	District of Columbia ..	Temporarily on digest patents ..	do	440 00
C. H. Brown.....	Do	Do ..	Temporarily on report	do	107 38
Charles H. Upton	Do	Do ..	Do	do	39 00
J. E. Chase	Do	Do	do	9 00
John H. Mahan.....	Day watchman	Maryland.....	January 1 to December 31.....	\$1 per diem	365 00
Matthias White.....	Night watchman.....	District of Columbia..	Do do	\$25 per month.....	300 00
Jackson Edmonston	Do	Do ..	Do do	do	300 00
Anthony Bowen.....	Labor, & washing towels	Do ..	Do do	do	360 00
Richard Brooks.....	Labor, & lighting lamps.	Do ..	Do do	do	360 00





